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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Michel Doyon et al.  
Serial Number : 10/662,293  
Filed : September 16, 2003  
Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING  
REAL-TIME COMMANDS IN A NON REAL-TIME  
OPERATING SYSTEM ENVIRONMENT  
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**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED**

**EXAMINATION**

**AND**

**REQUEST FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

This response is being filed after the time limit set out in the Official Communication. In accordance with 37CFR1.136, an extension of time of three months is hereby requested. The appropriate fee of \$1050.00 set out in 37CFR1.17(a) for the large entity status claimed on filing of the present application may be charged to deposit account 19-5113. Any additional fees required to enter the present response may also be charged to deposit account 19-5113.

In response to the Office Action issued on November 1, 2007, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.